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FAITHFUL BUNSTER.

[Hamilton Times.]

There is not a jollier or more good-natured fellow in Parliament than Mr. Bunster, the irrepressible member from British Columbia. He is an Irishman by birth, but has lived for many years in that western colony, for which he fights at every possible opportunity, in a bold and manful way. He has been and still is, a prominent public man in his Province, having been, in his day, a member of at least two Governments, and it is said, Premier of one. In 'Morgan's Parliamentary Companion' he is spoken of as a graduate of Trinity College, Dublin, but there must be some mistake about the statement. Mr. Bunster is the 'beau ideal' of a colonist—big, burly, rough and rugged. His large head, frame and features, with unkempt hair, and enormous black, shaggy beard, gives him a striking and singular appearance. For all that he is generous, outspoken and honest, with an unquenchable love for his adopted country and good liquor. When he speaks of her 'wrongs' he lays about him in the most energetic way, and, in his warmth, doubles up friends or foes with equal equanimity and readiness. It is, therefore, with something like horror that Sir John hears him rise behind him, and, in his deep, bass voice, call out, 'Mr. Speaker!' for he does not split hairs about telling Sir John that he bribed the Province into Confederation, and he seldom speaks on any subject without carefully reminding the Right Hon. member for Kingston of his duplicity.

If Mr. Bunster has one failing greater than his patriotism in behalf of British Columbia, it is to have his speeches fully reported and favorably commented upon. He, therefore, takes great interest in the members of the press, who entertain a very high opinion of him and his great merits. It was owing to this weakness that he fell into a trap last session, as, I think, the story goes. It was known one evening in the Gallery (where there are some terrible fellows, but not so bad as during last and preceding sessions), that a prominent member of the staff of the 'Mail' was extremely anxious that the House should adjourn early in order that he might keep some especial engagement he made in town. It was generally wished by the members, too, that the House would not sit late, and an attempt was being made to finish the day's business. Some unprincipled wag in the Gallery saw his chance and as quickly took it. Over the pretended signature of the 'Mail' man, he wrote a note to Mr. Bunster [if the narrative is not as crooked as certain Chicago whiskey] in which he told that hon. gentleman that now was his opportunity to make a long speech on a certain indicated subject, and he promised he would be reported in full in the "Mail." Thus inspired, Mr. Bunster was equal to the occasion, and rising to the merits of the debate he walked with seven league boots into the "subject," and talked with extraordinary energy and intolerable endurance. In the meantime, the wretched newspaper man in the gallery was writhing in a torment of agony and suspense. He hung over the railing and tried to catch Bunster's eye and implore him to sit down. But no, it was not to be so, and the hon. gentleman proceeded with vigorous knocks to demolish his antagonist, whatever it might have been. At last. Mr. Bunster resumed his seat amid applause, perhaps, because he had stopped at last, and the House speedily adjourned. The two first men who met in the lobby were the 'Mail' man and Mr. Bunster, when the latter called out, "Well, how did you like that?" The other hotly retorted, wanting to know why he had talked so long, whereupon the member very properly expressed his surprise and spoke of the note. It was produced, the wicked "sell" was understood at a glance, and both went off in high dudgeon, and, after all, the speech was not reported, nor was the offender discovered, rascal that he was undoubtedly.

Mr. Bunster is forever transgressing the rules of the debate—certainly not intentionally. Mr. Speaker watches for him, and no sooner does he make a misstep than he is tripped up remorselessly. Still, the good-tempered member comes up smiling and goes on peacefully until the next temporary stopping-place is reached; so that in the course of a speech he takes several rests. Some of the members on the Government side of the House cannot bear him, and witness his ill-luck with scarcely generous forbearance. It is related of this truly much abused man, that a noted wit on the Government benches, who was one day disgusted, remarked when his friend from British Columbia was speaking, that if the Devil did not get Bunster, then there was no use in having a Devil. This was undoubtedly rash and has ere this been repented of. No man in the House would wish any harm to Mr. Bunster any more than would

BURLINGTON.

OLD CHICORY is almost a thing of the past. Finlayson's Coffee presides over the present. It has now superseded what used to be claimed as "superior to any other manufactured on this coast," and will soon be found on every well-furnished table in the Province. Prepared at his premises on Fort street, and sold by all the principal dealers.

WM. HAYNES, Professor of Music,—Processions, Balls, Private Parties, etc., furnished. Orders left at M. R. Smith's, Victoria Bakery, Fort street, will receive prompt attention.

FELL'S COFFEE, superior to any other manufactured on the Coast, may be obtained of all respectable dealers throughout the Province.

AT THE GLOBE HOTEL, next to Alex. McLean's on Fort street, first-class board and lodging can be had at very reasonable rates.

FREDERICK REYNOLDS

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BUTCHER,

Wholesale and Retail Dealer in

Meats and Vegetables,

PURVEYOR BY APPOINTMENT TO HER MAJESTY ROYAL NAVY.

THE BEST ASSORTMENT OF ISLAND and Mainland BEEF AND MUTTON constantly on hand.

Hotels, Restaurants and Families supplied at short notice, and Meats delivered FREE OF CHARGE to any part of the City or Suburbs with accuracy and dispatch

Ships and Steamers supplied by contract LOW.

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KEATING'S COUGH LOZENGE

The best and safest remedy for

COUGHS,
ASTHMA,
COLDS,
HOARSENESS,
CONSUMPTION (Incipient),
ACCUMULATION OF PHLEGM.

These Lozenges contain no opium or deleterious drug, therefore the most delicate can take them with perfect confidence. No remedy is so speedy and certain in its beneficial effects.

Sold in Boxes, Tins and Bottles of various sizes.

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A PURELY VEGETABLE SWEETMEAT, both in appearance and taste, furnishing a most agreeable method of administering the only certain remedy for INTESTINAL or THREAD WORMS. It is a perfectly safe and mild preparation, and is especially adapted for children. Sold in Tins and Bottles of various sizes by all Chemists and Druggists.

CAUTION.—The public are requested to observe that all the above preparations bear the Trade Mark as herein shown.

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Indents for pure Drugs and Chemicals carefully executed.

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ATLAS FOUNDRY.

DOUGALL & MORLEY,

Iron and Brass Founders,

ENGINEERS & MILLWRIGHTS,

N.B.—No. 1 BABBITT METAL on hand.

GOVERNMENT & PEMBROKE Sts., VICTORIA, B.C.

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Come ye citizens and strangers
Miners, Sailors and Western Rangers,
Listen to the truthful story,
Of Frank Campbell of Victoria.
He in truthful words will tell you,
Just the goods he has to sell you.
Mind ye now he isn't joking,
If you are fond of Chewing and Smoking,
Or if you are given to snuffing
What he keeps does not need puffing.
He has brands will suit you really,
Tobacco users prize them dearly;
From all parts of the "Old Dominion
He has stock and his opinion
Is that none can suit you better,
They will please you to the letter,
His Cigars, just from 'Havana,"
Smoke in the mostlovely manner;
Meerchaum Pipes of style and fashion,
Just to suit each taste and passion;
And it is in Canada stated,
His Tobaccos are celebrated;
Green Seal, Straight Cut, all go,
Big Lick, Big Cut, Wind Sap, also,
All the Fine Cut brands for chewing,
That your teeth will never ruin;
Pipes to suit the inveterate smoke
Cards for playing Sinch or Poker,
Pipes of brier and stems of cherry,
More than any man can carry;
It would take a week to tell you
All the things he has to sell you,
While in town you may be stopping
At the "Adelphi Corner" drop in;
Campbell you'll find at that location,
Ready to give you information,
Or to see you well provided,
With what is by all decided
The smoker's and the chewer's glory,
The best and cheapest in Victoria,

F. CAMPBELL

JOHN TEAGUE,

Architect,

Cor. Government and Fort Streets.

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JAMES SYME,

ARCHITECT,

MASONIC BUILDING, GOVERNMENT ST.

1mje3 VICTORIA, B.C.

THE R. E. GRAMMAR SCHOOL

WILL BE CLOSED TILL AFTER EASTER and will reopen (D.V.) on Wednesday, April 19th.

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Notices.

NOTICE.

THE PARTNERSHIP HITHERTO EXISTing between Gilbert Malcolm Sproat and Matthew Trotter Johnston, trading under the firm of Sproat & Co., at Victoria, British Columbia, was dissolved on this 7th March, 1876, by mutual consent.

(Signed) GILBERT MALCOLM SPROAT.
" MATTHEW T. JOHNSTON.

Witness—(Signed) W. STERLING,
11 Birchin Lane, E. C., Solicitor.

Notice.

MR. W. B. MACKENZIE IS AUTHORIZED to collect all outstanding accounts due to the late firm of Sproat & Co.

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Townships Nos. 8 and 11.

NEW WESTMINSTER DISTRICT.

PUBLIC HIGHWAYS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE following highway, sixty-six (66) feet in width, is hereby established in Townships Numbers 8 and 11, New Westminster District, viz:

Commencing at the North-west corner of Lot 19, Group 2, on the bank of Fraser River, thence running in a Southerly direction—

S. 31°	30	W.	6,600 links
" 42	30	W.	1,030 "
" 29	00	W.	837 "
" 5	45	W.	1,000 "
South (Magnetic)			2,300 "
S. 36°	00	W.	7,308 links
" 52	00	W.	2,125 "
" 60	00	W.	305 "
" 35	30	W.	600 "
" 37	00	E.	500 "
" 24	00	E.	340 "
" 10	30	W.	235 "
" 42	00	W.	8,925 "
" 41	30	W.	9,000 "
" 37	30	W.	6,700 "

To junction with New Westminster and Yale waggon road, including 33 feet on each side thereof.

FORBES GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.

Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, 15th April, 1876.

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THOS. TROUNCE,

Architect, &c.,

OFFICE, ON KANE ST. ABOVE DOUGLAS.

PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS CAREfully prepared for Public Buildings or Private Residences, and the usual business of an Architect promptly executed.

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DR. MA CHOO TSUNG,

(FROM CANTON)

Surgeon and Physician,

CORMORANT ST., opp. Orleans Hotel.

CERTIFIED BY ENGLISH AND AMERIcan Consuls at Canton as being duly qualified, respectfully solicits the attention of the afflicted.

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ON HING

Dealer in

Groceries, Dry Goods,

Boots and Shoes, Clothing, Hats and Caps

HAS REMOVED

To Johnson street, one door East of Eastman's Butcher Shop.

Manufactures Drawers, Undershirts, Overalls, etc., which he offers for sale by Wholesale and Retail, at Low Rates.

ja11 2m

R. BAKER & SON,

DEALERS IN

FLOUR AND FEED

—AND—

Island & Oregon Produce

WHARF Street, foot of Yates,

VICTORIA.

Cash Paid for Produce of all kinds. Goods delivered Free of Charge to any part of the city.

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PIANOS!

MESSRS. BAGNALL & CO.

HAVE RECEIVED EX LADY LAMPSON the largest and most valuable stock of

GRAND AND UPRIGHT PIANOS,

From various eminent makers, ever imported into this Province, and respectfully invite inspection.

A SPLENDID DOUBLE ACTION HARP by Erard of Paris, and a large collection of Book and Sheet Music, suitable for every class.

Especial attention is directed to their IRON FRAME PIANOS admirably adapted for the extreme North, carefully packed and delivered at the wharf free of charge. Send for prices and terms.

A Fine Old Violincello for Sale.

J. BAGNALL,
Pianoforte Maker, Tuner and Repairer, 19 Fort St., Victoria, Established 1862.

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Mr. CHAS. PARDOE

HAVING TAKEN THE PREMISES LATEly occupied by Mrs. Huston, begs to inform the public that he intends to carry on there the old established business of

Gunmaking.

Having had considerable experience with Mr. Short he is confident that he can give satisfaction to any sportsmen who may give him a call, and hopes that his old acquaintances will visit him.

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HENRY RHODES & CO.,

[Successors to JANION RHODES & CO.]

COMMISSION MERCHANTS,

STORE STREET, VICTORIA, B. C.

AGENTS—Northern Insurance Co.

AGENTS—Liverpool Board of Underwriters.

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PERSIAN INSECT-DESTROYING POWDER,

As Supplied to Her Majesty's Government.

THIS Powder is quite HARMLESS TO ANIMAL LIFE, but unrivalled in destroying FLEAS, BUGS, BEETLES, MOSQUITOS, MOTHS IN FURS, and every other species of Insect. SPORTSMEN will find this an invaluable remedy for destroying FLEAS IN DOGS, as also Ladies for their Pet Dogs. This invaluable article has found so great a sale that it has tempted others to vend a so-called article in imitation; the Public are therefore cautioned to observe that the Packets of the Genuine Powder bear the autograph of THOMAS KEATING.

SOLD IN TINS, PACKETS & BOTTLES BY ALL DRUGGISTS.

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T. LUBBE,

Yates St., Victoria, B. C.

FURS AND SKINS

PURCHASED AT HIGHEST MARKET RATES.

CASH ADVANCES made on Consignments to my correspondents in New York and London.

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A. Casamayou & Co.

YATES ST., VICTORIA.

COMMISSION MERCHANTS AND WHOLE sale Dealers in

GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, HAVANA CIGARS,

Wines, Liquors, &c.,

And French Preserves.

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Cassiar.

A. CHOQUETTE,

EXPLORER, TRADER,

—AND—

INTERPRETER,

HAS REMOVED TO A POINT ON STIKEEN River, near the Hot Springs and opposite the Glacier, and is now ready to supply his friends and customers with

Groceries, Can Goods

TOOLS,

Clothing and Liquors,

At my Store on TELEGRAPH CREEK, will be found a large assortment of goods.

ALSO—STORAGE.

BATHING.

A Shed will be erected over the HOT SPRINGS, where invalids may enjoy Bathing.

mh8dw A. CHOQUETTE.

WM. J. STEPHENS,

FORT WRANGEL, ALASKA TER.

IMPORTER & DEALER IN

General MERCHANDISE.

GROCERIES, PROVISIONS,

MINERS' OUTFITS

—AND—

Every Article Required for the Mines may be had at

VICTORIA PRICES!

FULL STOCK!

GOOD GOODS!

& LOW RATES!

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HOCKIN & FRASER,

FORWARDING AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS,

TELEGRAPH CREEK, CASSIAR.

HAVING ERECTED COMMODIOUS WARE houses, we are prepared to receive,

STORE AND FORWARD TO THE MINES

Goods of all kinds to any Amount at the Lowest Rates.

We have also attached to the Establishment a

BAR & RESTAURANT

Where Refreshments and Meals may be had at all Hours.

Also—A General Assortment of

Merchandise

OF EVERY DESCRIPTION.

HOCKIN & FRASER.

☞ *Particular attention will be paid to Goods Consigned to our Care.*

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GLENORA, STICKEEN.

JOHN B. LOVELL,

Importer and Dealer

IN ALL KINDS OF

Merchandise,

—ALSO—

Storage, Forwarding and Commission.

mh30dw3m JOHN B. LOVELL.

NOTICE TO CASSIAR MINERS!

Henry C. WILSON,

LAKETOWN, CASSIAR,

TINSMITH & STOVEMAKER,

HAVING ESTABLISHED HIMSELF LAST year at the above place, intends to return in the Spring with a

Large Stock of Goods.

Every article in his line required by miners and the public generally will be found on his shelves.

Orders for Repairs and Goods promptly attended to.

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DINNEFORD'S SOLUTION OF MAGNESIA

DINNEFORD'S FLUID MAGNESIA

Is the great remedy for

Acidity of the Stomach, Headache, Heartburn, Indigestion, Sour Eructations and Bilious Affections;

IT IS THE PHYSICIAN'S CURE FOR GOUT, RHEUMATIC GOUT, GRAVEL, AND ALL OTHER COMPLAINTS OF THE BLADDER;

And as a safe and gentle medicine for Infants, Children, Delicate Females, and for the sickness of Pregnancy, Dinneford's Magnesia is indispensable.

Sold by all Druggists and Storekeepers.

N.B. Ask for DINNEFORD'S MAGNESIA

New Custom House Blanks

FOR SALE IN ANY QUANTITY At the COLONIST OFFICE

Notices.

Notice to Claimants of Land

NEW WESTMINSTER DISTRICT.

Group 1.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the following Land in Group 1, of which application to purchase under Clause 62, "Land Act, 1875," has been made by the following person, has been subdivided by survey, and the Map has been deposited in the office of Henry V. Edmonds, Esq., Commissioner, New Westminster, viz:

Lot 311, Group 1, G. E. Magee, North Arm, Fraser River.

And that claimants of any portion of this Land should prove up their claims in accordance with the "Land Act, 1875."

Forms of proof and declaration can be obtained at the office of the Commissioner, New Westminster.

FORBES GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works

Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, April 1st, 1875.

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Notice to Claimants of Land

COWICHAN DISTRICT.

Galiano Island.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, in accordance with the provisions of the "Land Act, 1875," that the following Land in Galiano Island, Cowichan District, has been subdivided by survey and the Map thereof can be inspected at the office of the Lands & Works Department, Victoria, viz:

Sections 1, 2, 4, 5, 7 and 8.

And that claimants of any portion of this Land should prove up their claims in accordance with the provisions of the "Land Act, 1875." Forms of proof and declaration can be obtained at the office of the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria.

FORBES GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, April 1st, 1876.

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PUBLIC NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Bridge near Mr. Horth's Farm, on the West Saanich Road, is unsafe for heavy traffic. Due notice will be given when the bridge is thoroughly repaired.

A. S. FARWELL,
Surveyor General.

Lands & Works Dept.,
Victoria, March 2d, 1876.

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NOTICE.

ASSIZES—VICTORIA.

A COURT OF GENERAL ASSIZE AND Gaol Delivery, and of Nisi Prius, will be held at Victoria, on Monday the first day of May, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, and all witnesses are hereby notified to attend thereat.

Dated 21st day of March, 1876.

By Command,
A. C. ELLIOTT,
Attorney General and Prov. Secretary.

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NOTICE.

ASSIZES—NANAIMO.

A COURT OF GENERAL ASSIZE AND Gaol Delivery, and of Nisi Prius, will be held at Nanaimo on Wednesday the twenty-sixth day of April, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, and all witnesses are hereby notified to attend thereat.

Dated 21st day of March, 1876.

By command,
A. C. ELLIOTT,
Attorney General and Prov. Secretary.

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NOTICE.

SPRING CIRCUIT.

A COURT OF GENERAL ASSIZE AND Gaol Delivery, and of Nisi Prius, will be held at each of the undermentioned places at eleven o'clock in the forenoon on the following days, and all witnesses are hereby notified to attend thereat.

New Westminster,	Wednesday, 17th May,
Yale,	Monday, 22nd "
Lytton,	Thursday, 25th "
Kamloops,	Tuesday, 30th "
Clinton,	Saturday, 3rd June
Quesnelle	Wednesday, 14th "
Richfield,	Tuesday, 20th "

The Fall Assizes, and any other Assizes as occasion may require, will hereafter be fixed.

Dated 21st day of March, 1876.

By Command,
A. C. ELLIOTT,
Attorney General and Prov. Secretary.

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Yale District.

KAMLOOPS DIVISION.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE following Certificate of Record, unsurveyed land, issued by the Land Commissioner at Kamloops, is hereby cancelled:—

Unsurveyed Land Record No. 1020, dated 13th day of March, 1876,—Henry Harland.

FORBES GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.

Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, April 7th, 1876.

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Township No. 8.

NEW WESTMINSTER DISTRICT.

PUBLIC HIGHWAY.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THAT portion of a Notice dated the 17th April, 1875, establishing a highway sixty six (66) feet in width, commencing at a point 32 chains, and 50 links true East from the North-East corner of Section 3, Township 8, being a point in the West Boundary of Lot 36, Group 2, thence true East 127 chains and 50 links, more or less, to a point in the East Boundary of Lot 307, Group 2, is hereby rescinded.

FORBES GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.

Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, 7th April, 1876.

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Public Notice.

PERSONS ADDRESSING LETTERS ON private business to the Hon. Forbes George Vernon, Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, are requested by the undersigned to endorse the word "Private" on the outside of the envelopes covering such communications.

A. S. FARWELL,
Surveyor-General.

Lands & Works Dept.,
Victoria, March 1st, 1876.

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Township No. 8.

NEW WESTMINSTER DISTRICT.

PUBLIC HIGHWAY.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A Notice, dated the 25th day of March, 1876, establishing a certain Highway in Township 8 is hereby rescinded.

FORBES GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.

Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, 7th April, 1876.

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Notice to Carpenters.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED AT MY office on Kane street, where plans and specifications may be seen till 2 p.m. on the 19th inst., for certain alterations to be made to a cottage near Victoria city.

THOS. TROUNCE, Architect.

Kane street, 12th April, 1876.

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COPARTNERSHIP NOTICE.

HAVING TAKEN MR. A. OFNER AS partner into my business, the same will hereafter be carried on under the firm name of Rickman & Ofner.

Thanking the public for their liberal patronage in the past, I solicit a continuance of the same for the new firm.

A. RICKMAN.

Victoria, B. C., April 1st, 1876.

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Notices.

NOTICE.

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE I WILL only accept Coin for Rent, as well as for other Payments to be made to me.

de30 LD. LOWENBERG

MR. HELMCKEN

MAY BE CONSULTED AT HIS OFFICE Victoria, between the hours of 9 and 12 in the morning, or at his residence, James Bay, in the evening.

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TO THE PUBLIC.

AT THE REQUEST OF THE PROPRIEtors of THEATRE ROYAL, we have this day examined that building, and pronounce she same to be perfectly safe for any number of people that may CROWD into it.

JOHN TEAGUE,
EDWARD MALLANDAINE,
THOS. TROUNCE,
Architects.

SMITH & CLARK,
D. F. ADAMS,
HAYWARD & JENKINSON,
MUIRHEAD & MANN,
GEORGE BAKER,
P. D. FORBES,
Builders.

Victoria, Feb. 19th, 1876.

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EDUCATION.

CLASSES FOR YOUNG LADIES WILL be commenced on Wednesday, the 20th inst., in the house situated on the corner of Kane and Quadra streets, by competent teachers, under the immediate supervision of the Rev. E. Cridge and Mrs. Cridge.

A class for boys under 8 years of age will also be formed. For particulars apply to

ja14 MRS. CRIDGE.

Another Notice to D. McMellon.

SIR:—Unless you call and settle your account for rent ($9) due me, I shall bring you before the Court.

PETER OASTERHOUT.

Victoria, B. C., April 6th, 1876.

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ROYAL HOSPITAL.

APPLICATIONS WILL BE RECEIVED by the undersigned up to Thursday the 20th inst. at 4 o'clock p.m., from a man and his wife (without family), the former to act as Steward and the latter as Cook and Nurse to female patients when required. Salary $75 per month.

By order of the Board of Directors,

JAMES D. ROBINSON,
Hon. Secty.

City Council Chambers,
4th April, 1876.

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NOTICE.

TO BE SOLD TWO FULL INTERESTS in the Creek Claim known as the Sunburst Claim, Dease Creek, Cassiar.

Tenders will be received for each interest separately, or for the whole, on or before the 10th April next,

C. E. POOLEY,
Official Administrator of the Estate of
John Fitzgerald and Jeremiah Condon.

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NOTICE.

MR. H. L. TIBBALS HAS PURCHASED the interest of the late Mr. F. Garesche in the firm of Englehardt & Co.

All liabilities will be paid by Mr. J. Englehardt, and all debts due the late firm are to be paid to him.

A. A. GREEN, Executor.

Victoria, April 8th, 1876.

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NOTICE.

IN CONSEQUENCE OF THE DEATH OF Mr. Jules Rueff, Mr. Thomas Earle will settle all liabilities of the firm of Rueff & Co. and receive all debts.

THOMAS EARLE.
LD. LOWENBERG,
Administrator of the Estate of Jules Rueff.

Victoria, B.C., March 57, 1876.

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NOTICE.



A RED COW SEEING SOME STRAW in a basket of champagne in the window of Messrs. J. Fell & Co., Fort street, broke the Glass while endeavoring to reach the fodder and is now impounded. The owner can have the Cow by paying damages and feed.

This Brindled Cow will be sold if not claimed within 7 days.

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NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS ARE HEREBY CAUTIONed against trusting my husband, Victor Delatre, on my account.

MRS. DELATRE.

Yale, March 9th, 1876.

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NOTICE.

PARTIES FOUND IN POSSESSION OF

Mules or Horses,

BELONGING TO THE

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY SURVEY,

Without written authority after this notice,

WILL BE PROSECUTED ACCORDING TO LAW.

By order

MARCUS SMITH.

VICTORIA, 14th Dec., 1874.

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BILL POSTING.

MR. WELTON, PROPERTY-MAN AT Theatre Royal, will attend to posting and distributing bills of every description in Victoria and vicinity.

Orders may be left at THE COLONIST Office.

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Notice to D. McMellon.

SIR:—You are requested to call upon the undersigned and settle your board-bill, $19 50, forthwith, or I shall proceed to take legal steps against you.

WM. SELLICK.

Esquimalt, April 4th, 1876.

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NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE following land in New Westminster District is hereby reserved until further notice.

Township, No. 4.

South ½ of the South quarter of Section 11

FORBES GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works

Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, 7th April, 1876.

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
Victoria, 7th April, 1876.

HIS EXCELLENCY the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to make the following appointments:—

The Honorable FORBES GEORGE VERNON, to be a Gold Commissioner, under and to carry out the provisions of the "Gold Mining Ordinance, 1867," the "Gold Mining Amendment Act, 1872," and the "Gold Mining Amendment Act, 1873."

WILLIAM MEASON, of Dog Creek, Esquire, to be a Justice of the Peace for the Canoe Creek Polling Division of the Electoral District of Lillooet.

DAVID PRATT, of Bridge Creek, Esquire, to be a Justice of the Peace for the Clinton Polling Division of the Electoral District of Lillooet.

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NOTICE.

THE SALE OF THE ESTATE OF THE late JESSE DAVIS, of Dog Creek, is hereby withdrawn.

S. GALLAGHER.

Clinton, April 4th, 1876.

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NOTICE TO BUILDERS.

TENDERS ARE REQUIRED FOR THE erection of a suburban residence. (Separate or whole tenders.) Plans and specifications may be seen at my office, where tenders will be received on the 22d day of April, at noon.

Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

JNO. TEAGUE, Architect,
Cor. Fort and Government Sts.

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Bankrupt Stock of P. Clair of Yale.

TENDERS ARE INVITED BY THE UNdersigned for the Bankrupt Stock of P. Clair, now lying at Yale, B.C., until the 15th DAY of MAY NEXT.

An Inventory of the Goods may be obtained at Yale or Victoria.

DAVID OPPENHEIMER,
DAVID GREEN, } Assignees.

Victoria, B. C., April 10th, 1876.

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Daily British Colonist.

FRIDAY MORNING, APRIL 21ST, 1876.

L. P. FISHER, 20 and 21 New Merchants' Exchange is our authorized Agent in San Francisco.

Conciliatory.

The Toronto 'Globe' in its more recent references to British Columbia is adopting the tone that ran through Mr. Mackenzie's and Mr. Blake's last speeches in the House. It is plain to be seen that this Province is a "thorn in the flesh" of Eastern statesman, and that the feeling in favor of the transcontinental railway is growing daily. The "Globe" significantly remarks, *"The time has come for British Columbians to say what they will take and settle the matter."* But British Columbia can only say what she will take through Lord Carnarvon in whose hands her case now rests. We make the following interesting extract from the 'Globe's' article:—

Delays have been rendered absolutely necessary by the nature of the country through which the road has to be located in British Columbia. This is manifest to all. And it is certainly not a little singular to find the Legislature of that Province rejecting disdainfully a bonus intended to compensate for delays caused by the physical character of their own territory, and sufficiently large to cover their Provincial debt. That the sum is a liberal one is evident from the fact that it is at the same rate 'per capita' as a grant of $300,000,000 would be to the Dominion.

There must soon be a stop put to this altercation, which has gone on long enough. The British Columbians cannot possibly have the original agreement fulfilled to the letter—they never expected that. The Parliament of the Dominion has refused to sanction the building of the Esquimalt and Nanaimo road as a compensation for delays incurred through no fault of the Government. The Executive Council and Legislature of British Columbia refuse to accept three quarters of a million of dollars as a substitute for the road in Vancouver Island, which cannot now be built for them. The time has come, therefore, for the British Columbians themselves to say what they will take and settle the matter. In the last resort the Dominion Parliament has always the resolution respecting increased taxation to fall back upon, and neither the present nor any other Dominion Cabinet can override or ignore that resolution. The present attitude of the people on the Pacific coast is anything but satisfactory. They are immensely better off to-day than they would have been without Union. The amount they have contributed to the general revenue is only $1,879,326, while the money expended in the Province amounts to $3,083,565. Add to the excess of expenditure over revenue the sum of $876,141 spent in searching for a route through their "Sea of Mountains" and we have a total excess in their favour of $2,080,483. The addition of the proffered bonus would bring this amount up to $2,080,483, or over $280 for every man, woman, and child of the population, exclusive of the Indians. If they are willing to agree to a reasonable settlement, and allow the Government to carry out in good faith the task imposed upon them, they will continue to reap the benefit; if they persist in their refusal, what will they do?

English Mail.

Scarcely had a jury decided upon the amount of compensation due by the perfidious Mr. Watson to the injured Miss Pateman when another instance of perfidy and injury cropped up at Glasgow. In the latter neither of the parties to the suit can be said to be in the first flush of youth, both being on the "wrong side" of thirty-five; but it is wonderful what an amount of romance can survive the stage when most of the follies of boyhood and girlhood are generally left behind. Not Eloise and Abelard correspond in terms of more ardent affection than Mr. John Henry Cooper the brewer, and Miss Susan Finlay, the waning spinster. The lady accounts for her warmth by pointing out the length of time for which "her love has been bottled up without a legitimate outlet;" and naturally, when the cork was drawn, it was like opening a bottle of champagne. It is a bitter satire that the sparkling wine should have become flat and stale, and that all Miss Susan's burning language should have ended in a demand for £2,500 from the object of her affections. Of that amount she has been awarded £500—a very fair sum, which may assist her in bottling up her feelings once more.

Mr. Evelyn-Ashley's spirited and interesting life of Lord Palmerston contains a very extraordinary statement, which cannot, one would think, be allowed to be passed in silence by the persons concerned or their representatives. Lord Palmerston in a letter states most distinctly that the late Mr. Chisholm Anstey and Mr. David Urquhart, both of whom were persistent critics and opponents of Lord Palmerston's foreign policy, sat in the House of Commons as mere nominees of Louis Philippe, from whom they received £60,000, nominally to pay the expenses of a political publication, but in reality to cover those of the election of the Orleanist deputies of the British House of Commons.

FIRST LAMB AND MINT SAUCE OF THE SEASON.—Some of the finest lambs ever brought into the Victoria market are now on view at F. Reynolds' on Yates street. *

Leading Articles.

EDITOR COLONIST.—The leading article lately published in the 'Standard' are excellent samples of the low literature which floods the universe and threatens to destroy what is commonly called the public mind. Yesterday one of these productions appeared in print. It is a gem fit to illustrate the first page of a dime novel. The writer for want of ideas is forced to practice the art of a coiner, and the base epithets produced in his mint are, to use his own words, "applied by many of our most respectable citizens to the conduct of the Elliott Ministry." If he supposes the public can believe that statement to be true he is surely—a greenhorn. A respectable citizen is a man that has brains, and would not use such expressions as "base dishonesty" or "low tricksters" without some evidence to show that the persons abused in such a manner were guilty of serious offence, and deserved the lash of public scorn. This inventor of phrases, wishing to place himself on terms of equality with the class which he describes as "our most respectable citizens," gives us a sample of his own billingsgate in the following sentence:

"Amongst the members of the local House are many upright and honorable men, and we feel sure that they will not disappoint public expectation by giving the countenance of their character and fair name to the low and dishonest artifices already practiced by the Elliott Ministry."

Where is the evidence to show that "low" or "dishonest" is properly applied? The majority of the people by their representatives support the Elliott Ministry, and are insulted by this audacious slanderer. Alarmed by the incapacity and extravagance of the late ministry the people decided by their votes that it was necessary to do justice to themselves. The "Standard" says it was a crime, and permits a scribbler, hired by the fallen ministry or their friends, to vilify the chosen servants of the people. The "Standard" office is the mint where billingsgate is made in this city and there the coiner of epithets receives instructions substantially as follows:—"We have no case—abuse the Elliott Ministry. Say they are 'low,' 'knavish,' 'dishonest.' If the people ask you for evidence make it in the mint; invent phrases and say they have been used by respectable citizens. If you are hard-pressed the man in the moon may be quoted as a person who knows all about the Elliott Ministry, and you can make him say anything you please. Any attempt to produce evidence fit for a respectable jury would be extreme folly. Under present circumstances billingsgate is better than argument. Go ahead!" He obeys the order and the result is a flood of bad English, a firstrate sample of the impotent, malicious kind. It means nothing. It deserves no notice. We could not descend to dispute with the author, but we venture to condemn the taste that directed his employers to insult the people.

The newspapers published in a country are a history of its people; they are silent witnesses declaring all over the world that the people are base, vile, wise, or just. A wise man knows the history of a people in an hour after he sees the newspapers they read. If our people are to be judged by the leading articles of the "Standard" they are sure of condemnation. If merchants in Canada read them they may send us a cargo of fools' caps. From San Francisco we may expect an army of quacks and a brigade of astrologers; these fellows are sure to believe they may do a "big business" among the people who read the "Standard." The nonsense contained in one leading article would establish the fact that we had one fool amongst us; but a series of leading articles stuffed with billingsgate and bad English goes far to show that the cargo of caps may find a market here. I'll bet a dollar the caps are coming. PUNCH.

Amor's Last Mistake.

EDITOR COLONIST.—You have truly characterised the senior member of this city in the House of Commons as the arch-enemy of this Province. What a pitiful spectacle he presented in connection with his famous railway resolution. Treated with a silent contempt more expressive than words by the Government, and completely played by the leader of the Opposition in his temperate and statesmanlike speech, this superb egotist, this illustrious member of the great Smith family, was followed into the left lobby by five members out of a House of two hundred and six! Is it possible that any further or greater humiliation is necessary in order to awaken that gentleman's constituents to a realization of the unfortunate fact that they are represented in the Dominion Parliament by a *blaspheming ass?*

COLUMBIA.

CLEARING OUT SALE.—A large assortment of fashionable costumes, shawls, polonaises, sleeveless jackets, Hyde Park wraps, black costumes, embroidered and beaded cuiras, tabliers, &c. The whole to be sold at a great reduction to make room for goods to arrive. Also, a full assortment of hosiery, haberdashery, flowers, feathers, laces, ribbons, dress goods, umbrellas, prints, underclothing, and staples of every kind. The celebrated Lockman sewing machine we still continue to sell at Canadian prices; we have an English manufactured machine, the Gresham, in good order, which we offer at half-price, a great bargain.

BROWN & WHITE, Government Street, March 27, 1876. *

JUST RECEIVED.—The best of Fishing Tackle, comprising Trout, Fly-rods, Trolling-rods, Flies tied specially for the lakes and rivers of Vancouver Island and British Columbia, Lines, Hooks, etc., are now for sale by HY. SHORT, Gunmaker, Fort street, Victoria. *

THE SILVER DROP.

America is now using paper, and will by and by, when a return to specie payments has been decided on, use paper and gold—any silver wanted, moreover, being supplied by her own mines, and not counted in the export—and there is no reason to suppose that the demand for purposes other than coinage will greatly or rapidly increase. The increase of wealth creates a certain demand for silver furniture, spoons, forks, and the like; but this is restricted by the immense improvements in plating, by the use of gold instead of silver for many articles, and by the superior artistic usefulness of gilt-bronze and gilt-aluminium. The liability of silver to tarnish is a drawback to its use in the arts, and so rich has the civilized world become, that few persons accumulate silver as a treasure. A thousand pounds' worth of silver aricles want a room to themselves, and of course the tendency to make great articles in silver—baths, and fonts, and so on—diminishes with the perception of their declining value. The bulk of the silver produced must go to Asia, and unless the need of internal currency extends there—which must be a slow process, as the tendency in India is to use cheques, hoondees, or native bills of exchange, and bank notes—the supply must ultimately exceed the demand, till the price of silver is continually forced down. The process may be very slow, but we confess we see no certain limit is very far away. A well-informed correspondent of the London 'Times' affirms that half the present price will pay the Nevada miners well, and Nevada is only one of the silver-bearing territories which American enterprise will open up. They will have Sonora and Lower California, both argentiferous provinces, in a few years, while it is probable that the old argentiferous countries, like Peru, have never been scientifically 'exploites.' Messrs. Mocatta & Co. report that they are already selling silver at 52½d. an ounce, or 12 per cent. under the old 'normal' price of 5s. an ounce, which it attained so late as 1872, and quite 10 per cent. under prices known since 1860, and they expect a further and a heavy fall. What, indeed, is to arrest it, except an unexpected development of the need for coinage in India and China? If it goes on, the suffering among those interested will be most severe. Already incomes in India have lost one-third of their value from a rise in prices due in part—though, of course, only in part—to the fall in silver. Already the losses of the Government of India in remitting the money needed at home for their expenses, for interest on the Home Debt, and for the payment of railway dividends, exceed a million a year, till we suspect they will before long be obliged to reduce seriously the official rate at which pensions and so on are calculated; and already Anglo-Indians who receive remittances from property or profits on Indian silver consols feel as if their remittances were docked 12 per cent.—that is, subjected to an income tax of more than two shillings in the pound.—S. F. 'News Lecter.'

DOMINION PARLIAMENT.

HOUSE OF COMMONS.

OTTAWA, April 3.

THE INDIANS BILL.

On motion of Mr. Laird, the House again went into Committee on the bill to amend and consolidate the laws respecting the Indians.

A clause was inserted, on motion of Mr. Laird, providing that the clauses with reference to enfranchisement should not apply to British Columbia, Manitoba and the North-West Territories until a proclamation of the Governor in Council was made, extending the operation of the said clauses to those Provinces.

Mr. DeCosmos—On Thursday next—Enquiry of the Ministry, whether any despatches or telegrams have been received from Her Majesty's principal Secretary of State for the Colonies respecting the address to Her Majesty the Queen, from the Legislative Assembly and Government of British Columbia, forwarded in February last, urging Her Majesty's Imperial Government to move the Dominion Government to carry out the Carnarvon settlement in reference to the Pacific Railway; if so, what is the nature of the said telegrams, despatches, &c., and will they be laid before the House this session.

Mr. Bunster moved for the correspondence respecting the construction of a telegraph line from Esquimalt and Nanaimo. He said that Nanaimo had a population of 2,500, and if there were a telegraph line from Victoria to that place there would be a great deal of business done over it.

Mr. Mackenzie said he was not aware that there was any correspondence. If there were it would be brought down.

Mr. Dewdney said he had thought an application on the subject had been made to the Government.

The motion was carried.

Mr. Blake presented a return of the correspondence with reference to the appointment of the County Judges for New Westminster, British Columbia.

Mr. DeCosmos asked if negotiations are now pending, or do the Government intend to open negotiations with the United States with the object of extending the Treaty of Washington to British Columbia, in order that the fish and fish oils of that Province may be admitted into the United States duty free.

Mr. Mackenzie said there were no negotiations pending at the present time with that object. Very recently it was decided by the United States Government that the Columbia fish could not be admitted under the Treaty, which opinion, as the hon. gentleman would see by papers brought down, was coincided in by the Imperial Government. The Government would be very glad, of course, to do anything they could to get that matter placed in a different position.

SEASONABLE.—Daily Journals, Pocket and Office Diaries for 1876. T. N. Hibben & Co.

New Advertisements.

For Nanaimo.

THE STEAMER

CARIBOO-FLY

Will leave my Wharf, corner Store and Discovery streets, at 8 a. m. on SATURDAY, April 22d, carrying Freight and Passengers.

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Desirable City Property for Sale.

THANET COTTAGE, SITUATED ON THE corner of Quadra and Chatham streets, containing 9 rooms, and fitted with every convenience. The property is a desirable family residence and will be sold with or without the furniture.

Apply on the premises to

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Will stand for the season at the Prince of Wales' Stables, Victoria. Price $5.

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Or $21 per Month in Case of Accident.

Extra Premiums for Hazardous Occupations.

T. ALLSOP & CO., Government St., Victoria.

GENERAL AGENTS FOR BRITISH COLUMBIA.

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NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO THE Estate of the late John Stafford are required to pay the amount of their indebtedness to the undersigned forthwith.

C. MORTON,
SIMEON DUCK,
Executors of the Estate of John Stafford, deceased.

Victoria, B. C., April 19th, 1876. ap20

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57TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION!

A GRAND BALL

Will be held at

Philharmonic Hall,

—ON—

Wednesday Eve. 26th inst

Under the auspices of

VICTORIA LODGE, No. I.

TICKETS admitting Gentleman and Ladies, including Supper, $3 50, to be had of the following Committee:

E. A. SHARPE,
F. CARNE,
E. FAWCETT,
DR. WALKEM,
R. E. GREEN,
} Victoria Lodge.

J. W. GRIFFITHS,
JOS. DAVIES,
J. P. GOODHUE,
T. HILTON,
} Columbia Lodge.

J. WRIGLESWORTH,
W. C. LOVE,
CHAS. TODD,
} Dominion Lodge.

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REMOVAL.

R. Maynard,

HAVING REMOVED HIS

BOOT, SHOE AND LEATHER STORE

TO THE COR. OF DOUGLAS & JOHNSON STS.

is now prepared to receive orders for every description of

BOOTS AND SHOES.

Parties in the Trade can be supplied with all kinds of

FRENCH KIP AND CALF,
UPPERS IN GREAT VARIETY,

Also, SEWING MACHINES adapted for Shoemakers

my28 CASH PAID FOR HIDES.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

Mrs. Maynard's NEW PHOTOGRAPHIC GALLERY

CORNER OF DOUGLAS & JOHNSON STREETS

VICTORIA, B. C.

IS NOW PREPARED TO TAKE ALL KINDS of Photographs in all the latest improvements.

On hand and for sale Views of British Columbia and Vancouver Island. Also, all kinds of Photographic Material.

As the New Gallery is well lighted I will guarantee satisfaction to all who will favor me with their patronage. mh23

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The Arizona and New Mexico Express Co's

NEW FAST LINE

Now running First Class Coaches from Terminus Southern Pacific Railroad through to Prescott, Tucson, and all intermediate points, reaches the newly discovered

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Of Arizona, by the Shortest, Cheapest and Best Route

FREIGHT SHIPMENTS received by Wells, Fargo & Co., San Francisco.

TICKETS for sale at all the principal ticket offices, San Francisco.

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SEED POTATOES FOR SALE.

EARLY ROSE

AND OTHER VARIETIES,

—ALSO,—

SEED OATS, WHEAT & BARLEY

—ALSO,—

Grass Seeds

—AT—

D. LENEVUE'S,

WHARF STREET. ap8

NOTICE.

TENDERS FOR THE BOOK ACCOUNTS and judgments obtained in the Estate of C. D. Lovi, will be received by the undersigned at his office, Bastion street, up to the 20th inst., where copies of the accounts can be seen, as well as at Mr. Fawcett's, Nanaimo.

The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

ap18 C. J. PREVOST.

JAMES SYME, ARCHITECT,

MASONIC BUILDING, GOVERNMENT ST.

1maj3 VICTORIA, B. C.

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AND IN EVERY STYLE, BY A FIRST CLASS COOK.

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AT 12 O'CLOCK, NOON,

Sections 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33 in Block 4, North Range, 5 West, New Westminster District. Each of these sections has 160 Acres of Fine Arable Land fit for the plow.

Conditions at Sale.

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NOTICE.

THE STEAMER

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—FROM—

SODA CREEK TO QUESNELLE

Will commence running about May 1st, making Weekly trips.

Will leave Soda Creek Thursday Morning, or on arrival of the Stage.

Will leave Quesnelle Sunday, 3 p.m., or on arrival of the Down Mail.

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From Soda Creek to Stanley or Vanwinkle, 2½ cents per pound.

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I will not hold myself responsible for damage to or from Oils or Liquids shipped in tin or glass; or for unavoidable detention caused by breaking of bridges or roadsides, or loss or damage to goods through any other contingency beyond my control, unless by special contract made in writing in respect or such goods at the time of shipment.

Address A. S. BATES,
Steamer Victoria, Soda Creek or Quesnelle.

I will have teams in readiness to transport Merchandise from Quesnelle to the abovementioned places. A. S. BATES.

SODA CREEK, April 8, 1876. ap18

BRIG POMARE, for Honolulu, S. I.

THIS VESSEL HAS ACCOMMODATION for four Cabin Passengers, and will sail from the outer harbor in 4 or 5 days' time.

Apply to the HUDSON BAY CO., ap18 Victoria.

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CAPTAIN - - - - - SEABURY.

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On Thursday, April 20th,

AT 4 O'CLOCK, P. M.

For Freight or Passage apply to

ap16 ENGELHARDT & TIBBALS, Agents.

FOR YALE AND WAY PORTS.

THE STEAMER

"RELIANCE,"

CAPT. JOHN IRVING,

Carrying H. M. Mails.

Will leave New Westminster on the 1st April, and will make regular trips until further notice every

WEDNESDAY AND SATURDAY,

Leaving Yale every Monday and Friday.

For Freight or Passage

mh23 APPLY ON BOARD.

FOR THE CASSIAR MINES.

THE O. S. S. CO'S STEAMSHIP

CALIFORNIA.

CAPT. JOHN HAYES,

Will leave for Fort Wrangel and Sitka on or about

THURSDAY, May 4th.

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J. P. GOODHUE, Agent O. S. S. Co
fol7 Office at Engelhardt & Co's.

Insolvent Act of 1875.

James Boswell Stevenson, Plaintiff. Archibald Cook Sutherland, Defendant.

A WRIT OF ATTACHMENT HAS ISSUED in this cause. C. E. DUPONT,
Official Assignee.

Victoria, April 17, 1876. ap18

New Custom House Blanks

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For Sale---To Let.

STROMNESS FARM.

TO BE LET.

WITH HOUSE AND FARM BUILDINGS, about 40 acres of land under cultivation, 200 acres fenced. Distance from Victoria, Four Miles.

Apply to

ap9 DRAKE & JACKSON, Bastion Street.

SALE.

WILL BE SOLD ON THE FIRST DAY of May, 1876, by the undersigned, to pay ranch bill and expenses amounting to Forty-five Dollars, one Working Ox left with him on the 27th December, 1872, by Mr. Curry of Kamloops.

PIERRE MORRN.

31-Mile Ranch, Spence's Bridge, 27th March, 1876. ap6dw

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A SHORTHORN DURHAM WELL-BRED Milch Cow, color Red, aged between four and five years, one of the best bred cows on the Island, to calve in April. Terms Reasonable.

Enquire of PARIS CARTER, ap2 Pandora st., near St. Louis College.

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A COW WITH A CALF, CALVED ON THE 15th inst., for Sale.

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IN NEW WESTMINSTER DISTRICT 945 Acres of Rich Delta Land on Lulu Island, viz:—Lots 28, 29, 30, 31, 32 and 33 in Block 4, North Range 5 West. For particulars apply to

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Apply to J. NAGLE, ap15 Shipping Agent, Bastion St.

ROAD TAX.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Road Tax for the current year is due and payable at my office for the following Districts: Victoria District, North and South Saanich District, Esquimalt Town, Esquimalt, Metchosin and Sooke District.

"Road Ordinance, 1869."

Section 19:—"On and after the 1st day of April in each year, the Collector shall collect the Road Tax "from each person liable to pay the same."

"Road Amendment Act, 1870."

Section 6:—"Any Tax due under the provisions of "this Ordinance which shall not be paid within 30 "days of the period when it shall have become due, "may be recovered at the suit of the Collector."

All persons in arrears for the past year, if their Arrears and Taxes for the current are not paid on or before the 1st May, immediate proceedings will be taken to recover them.

RICHARD WOODS, Collector.

Sheriff's Office, Victoria, April 3d, 1876. ap6

BARNARD'S EXPRESS.



SUMMER ARRANGEMENT.

FROM THIS DATE OUR EXPRESS WILL close at this office for

NEW WESTMINSTER & YALE

ON MONDAY.

—AND FOR—

Cariboo and Way Places

ON THURSDAY,

AT 6:30 P. M.

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YATES STREET, March 31st, 1876. ap3 1m

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AT EXTREME LOW TIDE,

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Nanaimo, April 5th, 1876. ap7

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Daily British Colonist

FRIDAY MORNING, APRIL 21st, 1876.

Marine Intelligence.

PORT OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

ENTERED.

April 20—sch Wanderer, Nanaimo
str Rita White, Burrard Inlet
str Beaver, Burrard Inlet
str City of Panama, Nanaimo
str Maude, Nanaimo
str North Pacific, Port Townsend

CLEARED.

April 20—str Emma, Nanaimo
sch Black Diamond, Nanaimo
str North Pacific, Pt Nowysend
str City of Panama, San Francisco
str Enterprise, New Westminster
sch Wanderer, Nanaimo

IMPORTS.

Per str North Pacific, fm Puget Sound—4 pkgs hams, 100 sks flour, 40 sks bran, 2 horses, 4 sks oysters, 3bxs chickens, 1 bx pigs, 9 hd cattle, 1 trunk effects, 2 sks meat, 2 sks beets, 1 bxs eggs.

CONSIGNEES.

Per str North Pacific, fm Puget Sound.—D. Leneveu, A Rickman, J Weilder, J Levy, J H Tibbals, W Jackson, F Reynolds, Halkyards, Phelps, Wadleigh & Co. Stafford & Goodacre.

DEATHS.

At James Bay, on the 17th instant, Blanche Eliza, aged 16, the beloved wife of Theodore Davie, of this city.

The funeral will take place from the Reformed Episcopal Church, Humboldt street, TO-DAY at 2:30 p. m. Friends and acquaintances are kindly invited to attend.

At Nanaimo, April 18th, 1876, William W. Lewis, a native of South Wales, aged 43 years.

MARRIED.

In this city, on the 18th inst., at St. Andrew's Cathedral, by the Rev. Father LeRoy, Mr. A. Bossi to Miss Virginia Madana, second daughter of the late P. Medana, Esq., all of this city.

[San Francisco papers please copy.]

SECOND PROVINCIAL LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

FIRST SESSION.

THURSDAY, April 20.

Mr. Speaker took the Chair at 2 o'clock p. m.

LUNATIC ASYLUM.

Dr. Ash asked that the Standing Orders be suspended in order that he might move an address to obtain certain papers relating to the Lunatic Asylum from Jan. 1st, 1875, to the present time. Carried.

FOREIGN STOCK.

Mr. Smith moved: That, whereas there arrive in this Province, annually, foreign drovers with large bands of black cattle, horses, and other stock, which are not only pastured without charge on the public domain, but come directly in competition with our own stockraisers; therefore, be it resolved, that an humble address be presented to His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor, praying His Honor to take the matter into his earnest consideration, with a view of removing the grievance in such a manner as he may think proper.

The hon. mover said that last session a similar resolution had been moved, and a promise had been made by the then Government to attend to the matter; but nothing had been done. He quoted instances which had come directly under his personal notice which operated harshly to the stock-raisers of the Upper Country. It was high time that the thing were put a stop to and that a tax were levied to protect the interests of British Columbia which was so well stocked with beef cattle that the tax would not raise the price of beef one-eighth of a cent per lb.

Mr. Walkem bore out the assertions of the hon. member for Yale. He knew that on the other side our stock-drovers were compelled to pay a pasturage tax while driving cattle towards our territory, and that the very people who taxed in the States were permitted to pass free in this country, notwithstanding that they had really no right here and were not settlers. He believed that in British Columbia there were 46,000 head of cattle, more than sufficient to supply the Province for a long time, and he would like, since taxation seemed to be the order of the day, to see the Government take the matter in hand and put on a tax of a protective nature to our farmers.

Mr. Mara was very glad to hear the sentiments enunciated by Mr. Walkem, and only regretted that when he (Mr. Walkem) occupied a seat on the treasury benches he had not entertained the same opinion. (Hear.) He (Mr. Mara) was aware that large herds of cattle were brought into the Province at a merely nominal invoice price when they were in very poor condition; they were then allowed to run and pasture for a number of months without payment of any pasturage tax. He was prepared to go further, however, than the hon. mover. He would suggest that a heavy tax be placed on the cattle drovers.

Hon. Mr. Humphreys said it was somewhat amusing to see the change taken by hon. gentlemen opposite who were compelled by a force of circumstances to alter their positions in the House. On the 17th of March last a similar resolution to that now before the House was passed, and it was somewhat astonishing that the Government then in power did not avail themselves of the opportunity they had to take proper action in the matter and afford that protection to the stock raisers of the country which they now said was so necessary. (Hear hear.) He would support the resolution and hoped that it would not meet with the same fate as the motion of last session did at the hands of the late Government. (Cheers.)

Hon. Mr. Brown asked in the event of a British Columbian paying the duty on the bands of foreign cattle and becoming actual possessor of them, how would the tax be collected then?

The resolution passed unanimously.

GRAVING DOCK.

Hon. Mr. Vernon laid before the House all papers connected with the Esquimalt Graving Dock asked for by the hon. senior member for Cariboo some few days ago.

PUBLIC BUILDING CORRESPONDENCE.

Mr. Pimbury moved, That an humble Address be presented to His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor praying for a return of all correspondence and Orders in Council respecting the transfer of certain public reserves and public buildings by the Dominion Government to the Province of British Columbia.

The mover said that he believed the Dominion and Provincial Governments had taken action to secure the transfer of certain reserves to the Province, and amongst them buildings on which a large sum of money had been expended by the Province.

Hon. Mr. Vernon said that the papers asked for are now in the course of preparation.

OPENING TENDERS.

Mr. Beaven moved that a Select Committee, with power to call for persons and papers, be appointed to enquire into and report upon the method of receiving and opening Tenders, and of awarding Contracts for Public Works, by lands and Works Department, Victoria, from 1st January, 1873, to date. He was led to do this from the fact that a great dead of misrepresentation had been promulgated concerning the method of receiving and opening tenders when he was in office. (No, no.) When he first assumed office he found that tenders were opened in public and contractors were in the habit of putting in two, three and more tenders in different names although by the same individuals. The contractors being aware which of their tenders was accepted knew which to drop, and when called upon to sign bonds, etc., for the lowest tender no such contractor as had put in the bid could be found and the contract had to be awarded to the next highest bidder. The system he had inaugurated, although he did not claim for it perfection, was to notify contractors that at a certain hour the tenders would be opened. He at that time handed the key of the tender box to two persons who took out the tenders from the box. They were opened and the number of them was certified to by two disinterested employes of the Land and Works office, and both the number and figures of the tenders were recorded in a book kept for the purpose. At the end of the year a *resume* of all tenders and contracts were published and he thought contractors were well satisfied with the method pursued by him. (No.)

Hon. Mr. Humphreys failed to see the drift of the mover's resolution. If the method which he had just stated was firstrate had been questioned, if he had been accused of what was commonly called "shenanigen," or of ringing the "changes," if some intended wrong had been stated to have taken place by some hon. member of the House, there would be some just cause for occupying the valuable time of a select committee.

Mr. Beaven—I have stated that misapprehension existed as to my method.

Mr. Fisher cautioned the House against wasting the time of hon. members by appointing unnecessary committees.

Dr. Tolmie thought it out of place for any hon. member to move a resolution for a committee to inquire into his conduct whilst in office. It seemed that the only object of the mover was to elicit for himself an amount of laudation.

Mr. Walkem said that as no insinuation had been made by any hon. member of the House against the management of the Lands & Works Department, it would be well to allow the resolution to drop.

Mr. Beaven said he supposed he could stand as much abuse as anybody, [A voice—Deservedly sometimes.] and that if he prosecuted any proprietor of a paper for libel the punishment would be such as he would not like to see any man suffer—hard labor. (Laughter.) He was naturally somewhat sensitive concerning the purity of his character (oh, oh,) but if the House desired it he would withdraw his resolution.

By permission of the House the resolution was withdrawn.

OGDEN POINT.

Mr. Beaven moved that a Select Committee, with power to call for persons and papers, be appointed to enquire into and report to this House from time to time, as to the manner in which the following resolution of this Assembly, passed 8th April, 1872, has been carried out, viz: "That 47 acres of the Crown lands at Ogden Point should be set apart for the purpose of providing for a public cemetery, and for other public purposes, on behalf of the City of Victoria, as Trustees in that behalf shall think fit;" and also into the management and position of the trust thus created. The committee to consist of Messrs. Douglas, Tolmie, Williams, Davie and Ash.

The mover, by consent of the House, added the name of Mr. Morrison to the Committee. He referred to the history of the transfer of the land to trustees and asked the House to investigate the manner in which the land had been administered upon. He thought people who came here to *live* [die?] were interested in knowing there was a suitable cemetery [a laugh].

Mr. Douglas seconded and the resolution was carried.

VAPORY.

Mr. Beaven asked the Premier the following question: Did Mr. Humphreys before consenting to join your Cabinet require any pledge from yourself or colleagues that your Government would secure such a modification of the Tariff as would protect the farming interests in this Province, and that protection to the farming interests would be part of the policy of your Government?

Hon. Mr. Elliott—Any conversation I had with Mr. Humphreys previous to his taking office must be regarded as strictly confidential, and I must therefore respectfully decline to answer the question [prolonged cheers].

LUNATIC ASYLUM.

Mr. Dickinson asked the following question: If it is the intention of the Government to make any alteration this year in the plans and specifications under contract for the Lunatic Asylum, New Westminster?

Hon. Mr. Elliott—It is not the intention of the Government to make any such alteration.

LANE AND KURTZ.

Mr. Evans asked the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works the following question:—What is the nature of the tenure on which the Lane and Kurtz Company, on Williams Creek, hold three and a half miles of mining ground on that creek; and, in view of the said company having long since ceased to work their ground and sold part of their machinery, with the balance advertised for sale, whether it is the intention of the Government to cancel such holding and throw the ground open to the public for location?

Hon. Mr. Vernon said that the company hold their lease under the following conditions: "To erect a saw mill with a 50 inch circular saw, capable of cutting not less than 6,000 feet of lumber per day; also to erect steam hoisting and pumping engines, with works complete, of not less than 30 horse power, and to have the same works completed within eight months from date of lease; also to build a quartz crushing mill containing ten stamps to be constructed within 18 months, each stamp to weigh not less than 780 lbs., to be erected within ten miles of Camerontown. Term of lease, 25 years; rental $250 per annum payable in advance, with a privilage of renewal for ten years if the above conditions have been fulfilled. One year's cessation of work to constitute actual forfeiture. Two months notice from Gold Commissioner of cancellation to be posted on works necessary. The rent has been paid up to July 28th, 1876." Hon. Mr. Vernon would communicate on the subject with the Cariboo Gold Commissioner and report thereon.

Mr. Evans—I am obliged to the hon. gentleman; operations have ceased for more than two years.

PRIVILGE.

Mr. Beaven asked whether Mr. Speaker had found his authority for ruling the debate on the Tariff question closed yesterday.

Mr. Speaker quoted from May to show that his ruling was correct.

FOREIGN COMPANIES BILL.

Report adopted, bill read a third time and passed.

JURORS BILL.

Mr. Davie moved the second reading of this bill, the object of which is to make civil causes in the Supreme Court tried in the first instance by a Judge as in the County Count, triable by a jury at the option of either party on giving due notice; also to give the Judge the right of calling for a jury.

The Bill was read a second time, and committe d—Mr. Evans in the chair.—Committee rose and reported bill complete without amendments. Adoption of Report deferred until Monday next.

TRUSTEES AND EXECUTORS BILL

Mr. Douglas moved the second reading of this bill which seeks to confer greater facilities on trustees and executors in the execution of trusts than now exist.

Second reading passed; bill to be committed to-morrow.

LIEN LAW BILL.

Mr. Smith moved the second reading of this bill which provides for the mechanic or laborer a right to enforce a lien against an owner for work performed or material furnished for a contractor until such time as he may receive payment therefor.

Mr. Davie pointed out that the bill was one which required to be dealt with very carefully and would ask that the second reading be postponed.

Mr. Smith after some hesitation consented and the House then adjourned until Friday at 2 p.m.

NOTICES OF MOTION.

Mr. Ash—On Monday next—That a Select Committee be appointed to take charge of the Library of this House, with authority to direct the expenditure of any appropriation granted by the Legislature for the uses of the Library; such Committee to consist of Messrs. Mara, Davie, Tolmie, Walkem, and Ash.

Mr. Ash—On Monday next—To ask leave to introduce a Bill intituled "An Act for the management of Public Parks."

Mr. Tolmie—On Monday next—That an humble Address be presented to His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor, praying for Returns of all Lands applied for, or now held, for timber cutting purposes; giving reasons for refusal when applications for land for such purposes have not been granted, and showing date and term of lease, with name of lessee, also conditions of lease; together with all other information, in possession of the Land Office, on the subject of timber cutting leases.

MORE WATER DEBENTURES.—The city is about to ask Provincial security to raise another loan of $50,000 to carry the delightful Elk Lake water to James Bay. We fear that except the Corporation can show clean hands in the matter of floating the last debentures that members from the Province at large will purse up their lips and shake their heads at this fresh demand. There is no doubt that the introduction of water has proved a great blessing; but there is a growing feeling that with proper management the blessing might have been secured for $30,000 less than it really cost. The last loan of $50,000 realized only about $43,000, the balance being deducted for discount and accrued interest. Mr. Amor DeCosmos, the hero of the "Charge of the Six Hundred" on the Provincial Treasury, is said to have been mixed up in this puddle, and to have received the accrued interest as his commission for floating the loan at 7½ per cent. less than other parties stood ready to give. Should the House assent to this new demand it will probably insist upon giving the Provincial Government power to audit city books as often and at such times as they may think a due regard for the public weal demands. There is nothing like putting on the brake when an institution or a horse shows signs of running away.

GRAVING DOCK.—Papers laid before the House yesterday show that the sum of $50,665.50 has been expended on dry-dock account, and that the Local, on the 13th inst., made application to the Dominion Government for the advance of that sum under the arrangement made with Canada in lieu of the ten years' guarantee.

NAVAL.—H. M. S. Opal, 14 guns, composite screw corvette, 1,864 tons, 350 h.p. nominal, will relieve the Tenedos on this station. She sailed from Plymouth for the Pacific early in March last, but was compelled to put into Falmouth on account of a severe gale. The Tenedos will proceed to Devenport to be paid out of commission.

FROM NANAIMO.—The steamer Maude arrived here at 5 o'clock last evening from Nanaimo and East Coast settlements bringing the mails and following passengers: Miss Mason, Miss Menzies, Messrs. W. P. Sayward, J. Hirst, W. Beaumont, Edgson, A. J. McLellan, Kinnear and G. Baker.

COMOX.—We now have fine weather and all the farmers at work plowing. The Bay is all alive with herring. All the Indians from Cape Mudge are going to remove down to Baynes Sound. Pedcock's newsaw mill will be running in a few days.

THE janitor, foreman and watchman have been discharged from the U. S. Court House at Portland and water and gas have been cut off. No funds.

WATER ON THE BRAIN.—The question of water supply for the city of Black Diamonds is agitating the Nanaimoites. Chase River seems to be the favorite water course.

Two steamers have arrived at San Francisco with 1800 Coolies.

Nanaimo.

[Free Press.]

Tuesday morning, about 11:30, Edward H. Michael, shot himself with a pistol, the bullet entering his left side, just below the heart. Dr. McInnis was called in and examined the wound, and gives but slight hope of his recovery. Mr. Michael was in the employ of the Vancouver Coal Company, having charge of the slope-head. He was formerly warehouseman for Dickson, Campbell & Co., Victoria. Domestic trouble is assigned as the cause of this rash act.

James Gordon, who undertook to complete the Nanaimo Lighthouse, has "decamped" leaving his workmen and a number of tradesmen in Nanaimo and Victoria minus their accounts.

On Sunday night an explosion of gas took place in the Devlin's level, Wellington Colliery, and tore away some of the "trees and braddich." Cause—working with a naked lamp. No lives lost, but the carelessness criminal.

The brig Pomare arrived for a cargo of Douglas coal for Honolulu on Tuesday evening last.

The Assizes will be held on Wednesday next. There is only a trifling case of stealing on the calender.

The fifty-seventh anniversary of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows will be celebrated by Black Diamond Lodge, on Wednesday next, by divine service and by a supper and ball in the evening.

CONCERT.—The concert in aid of the Choir fund of St. John's Church was very numerously attended and passed off in a manner that gave satisfaction to all present. The programme comprised instrumental and vocal pieces, some of them of great beauty. Amongst the participants were Mrs. Rhodes, Mrs. Jones, Mrs. T. Wilson, Mrs. Plummer, Mrs. Janion, Miss Morgan, the Misses Rhodes, Miss Branks, Miss Wilson, Miss Todd, Miss Gowen, Messrs. Jay, Schaffer, Chambers, McMicking, Vinter, Brown, White and Green. One of the gems of the evening was a duet ("The Fishermen") by the Misses Rhodes. These young ladies have delightful voices which harmonize perfectly. The audience applauded the effort and insisted upon an encore, the fair young vocalists being nearly smothered beneath what may be not inaptly styled an avalanche of Flora's choicest offerings from the audience. Another gem was the duet "Carlo io muojo" by Miss Branks and Sir Matthew Bailie Begbie, which was rapturously encored. "Judith" by Mr. Lombard was a brilliant effort and was encored. The "Elfin Call," by Mrs. Rhodes and Mrs. Janion was also very successful and was encored. One of the most entertaining pieces of the evening was a laughable duet by Mrs. Jones and Sir Matthew Bailie Begbie which was encored. A piano solo by Miss Wilson formed a very happy feature of the programme, being remarkably well played. The overtures by the Institute band led by Prof. Shafer were all excellent.

INOPERATIVE.—An Act introduced by the Minister of Justice at Ottawa to supply an omission in the Act extending certain criminal laws of Canada to British Columbia, is intended to give the right of appeal from a conviction h d or order made by a Justice or Justices of the Peace, but must fall to the ground as the only tribunal before which the appeal can be carried is "the Court of General or Quarter Sessions of the Peace," which has no existence in British Columbia. The right of appeal, therefore, from the decision of a local justice ignorant of the law or designedly straining a point to "get square" with a neighbor on an old grudge, is practically denied to British Columbians should the Bill have passed in the shape in which it was brought down.

FROM PUGET SOUND.—The steamer North Pacific arrived here at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon from Puget Sound, bringing a heavy Eastern mail, 9 head of cattle, 2 horses and a large number of passengers, many of whom left immediately afterwards for San Francisco. The North Pacific returned to Olympia at 7 o'clock last evening.

BAYNES SOUND.—Mr. A. J. McLellan, contractor, returned from Baynes Sound yesterday. He reports the colliery railway already commenced, a hotel built, and some sixty men actively employed. He has come to this city to engage a further posse of 40 men.

CITY POLICE COURT.—Yesterday the Police Magistrate fined a drunk and disorderly the usual sum, and allowed the summons in an assault case to be withdrawn on payment of costs by the defendant who received a severe reprimand and was cautioned not to repeat the offense.

RAILWAY.—The C. P. R. S. Engineers allotted to the British Columbia Division will, we understand, leave Ottawa immediately to resume their labours. Large quantities of supplies were shipped to the mainland last week, to be followed by more to-day.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.—The steamer City of Panama arrived at Esquimalt yesterday at 2 p. m. from Departure Bay and left for San Francisco direct at 5 p. m. with 500 tons of coal, 100 tons of assorted freight and upwards of 120 passengers on board.

THE ITASCA.—This ship with a cargo consisting of 1,100,000 feet of lumber from Messrs. Moody, Nelson & Co.'s mill, Burrard Inlet, arrived in Royal Roads yesterday in tow of the steamers Beaver and Etta White. She is bound for Valparaiso.

THE TURF.—A race will take place tomorrow at Beacon Hill between the two well known horses Reindeer and Arkansas; single dash of 600 yards for $50 a side.

ARRIVED.—The schooner Ocean Spray dropped her anchor in the outer harbor yesterday afternoon. She left San Francisco on the 28th ult., and is bound North on a fishing cruise.

THE bridge on the cross road from Mount Tolmie to Cedar Hill Church in the hollow by King's Farm is impassable, being all broken through.

DABNEY JONES, the extradited convict from Washington Territory, was placed on board the steamer North Pacific last evening and sent back.

REV. MR. CARNES will preach to "Young Folks" at Philharmonic Hall on Sunday evening at 7 o'clock.

The Pacific Railway in the Senate.

OTTAWA, April 3rd.

In the Senate to-day Senator Dickey moved an amendment to the motion of Senator Carrall on the Railway matter. The amendment states that the Senate recognizes the necessity of constructing the Pacific Railway under the utmost speed compatible with a due regard to the other financial requirements of the country, and without unduly increasing the rate of taxation, and regrets that the course adopted by the Government in connection with this matter has not met the expectations of the people of British Columbia, nor has it been such as to facilitate the development of the North West.

The amendment restricts the great work and makes its progress contingent on the other requirements of the Dominion, the Government being the judge when the country is able to bear the burden.

Messrs. Carrall and Cornwall voted for and Mr. Macdonald against the amendment, which was carried by a vote of 34 to 24.

Mr. Letellier said the effect of the resolution, according to the decision of the House of Lords, was a defeat of the Government, unless another resolution of confidence were passed in the Commons to counterbalance the effect of it.

The Cariboo Fly.

This steamer has undergone such a complete change recently that to-day she will hardly be recognized as the "Cariboo Fly" by a great portion of the public. She has been converted by her owner, Mr. Joseph Spratt, into a first class passenger and freight boat and has been fitted with the best kind of machinery and all the latest improvements necessary for the comfort of the travelling public. Her state rooms are handsomely furnished and have sleeping accommodation for 60 passengers; her dining saloon and ladies saloon are both spacious and comfortable, and the arrangements for the stowage of freight are excellent. She has two boilers 26 feet long and double cylinder engines with 5 feet stroke. Her length over all is 126 feet and width of beam 22 feet. This afternoon her machinery will be tested and should everything work to a charm as is expected, she will sail at 8 o'clock to-morrow morning for Nanaimo.

WILD CATTLE.—The steamer North Pacific, as a rule, brings several head of cattle each trip she makes from Puget Sound to this port, and usually a great concourse of people flock to see the steamer come in. They not only do this, but they hang about the wharf for half-an-hour or so afterwards. Now it sometimes happens that the cattle, as was the case yesterday, after being caged up on board the steamer, pine for the fresh air of the rolling prairie and make a dash up the wharf regardless of man, woman and child, intent on finding freedom. In the course of their rush for liberty should they upset an individual or two, or pin an unsuspecting citizen like a cockroach to a cork, it must not be surmised that the firms to whom the cattle are consigned have any illfeeling against that victim. The blame, if any, attaches rather to the man who obstructs the progress of the bull.

THE steamer Beaver will leave at noon to-day for Departure Bay to tow down the ship Orpheus, coal laden for San Francisco.

MR. NATHAN arrived at Ottawa on the 4th inst. on railway business.

HIBBEN & Co. received late Eastern papers yesterday.

Dominion Mail to April 5th.

(Per steamer North Pacific.)

QUEBEC, April 3.—Mr. Justice Taschereau has forwarded a bottleful of flies to Dr. Lorne, of the Laval University, accompanied by a letter which states that a very singular phenomenom occurred at Riviere du Loup (en bas) during the north-east tempest of Monday. A shower of flies fell with the snow, covering a space of several "arpents." They were found by the million walking over the snow, without appearing to be able to fly. In shape they resemble mosquitoes, but are considerably larger.

OTTAWA, April 4.—The exports from the Dominion (British Columbia excluded) for the month of February, amounted to $2,221,254, of which $2,108,614 was the produce of Canada. The total imports during the same period amounted to $9,477,989, of which $8,298,078 were dutiable good, on which duties to the amount of $2,087,185.38 were collected.

MONTREAL, April 4 — Mr. Ireland, of Ireland, Gay & Co., has also made his escape to the States, to join, it is believed, his former partner. It is said that a certain bank discounted for them to the amount of $200,000.

Clear proof have at last been obtained that Elias Gay, business manager of the firm of Ireland, Gay & Co., had, in efforts to stave off the troubles in which his firm was enveloped, used the names of customers without their consent, and that W. Ireland had altered the forged paper. Recent disclosures show that there are in the bonds of the bankers about $15,000 of forged paper, on which the names of country customers have been fraudulently used. Gay and Ireland have run away.

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At the BRITISH COLONIST office three steam power presses are kept constantly in motion turning out the best class of printing at the lowest possible rates. New styles of type are received by every arrival. Call and see specimens. *

SUMMER GOODS.—The large stock of new goods for the present season just received by A. B. Gray & Co., comprises a beautiful variety of dress materials, Silver Grey Crystalline and Silk Warp Alpacas, new checks, &c. Hollands, Dress Linens, Piquets, new Prints, Parasol, Hosiery, Ginghams, Boys Tweeds, Mens Tweeds, Printed Muslins, Lace Curtains, Costumes, Dress Skirts, Boys Suits, Flowers, Shaker Flannels; also, a full stock of Staple Goods. Agency of Chappell & Co. Prize Medal Pianofortes, and of the Raymond Favorite Sewing Machine.—ALBION HOUSE, Government Street, April 12th, 1876. *

By Electric Telegraph.

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LAST NIGHT'S DISPATCHES.

EASTERN STATES.

NEW YORK, April 19.—The 'World' says $220,000 were raised at Moody & Sankey's meeting.

Henry C. Bowen has withdrawn from the Congregational Union.

The Emperor of Brazil and suite attended the opera at the Academy last night. The orchestra played the Brazilian national air while the audience rose.

ANN ARBOR, Mich., April 19.—Prof. Watson reports that he discovered on the night of the 16th inst. in the constellation of Virgo, a planet hitherto unknown. It shines like a star of the eleventh magnitude.

MEMPHIS, April 19.—The crevasse at Delhi on Monday night caused great alarm. The water was pouring through with fearful force.

NEW ORLEANS, April 19.—The levee is broken at Point Lookout in Carroll Parish. This is the largest protection levee in the State of Louisiana. The break here is a mile wide and the water is flowing through without making a ripple. The loss there is tremendous and it is estimated it will reduce the cotton crop sent to this city 250,000 bales.

NEW YORK, April 19.—The 'World's' Washington special says a prominent Congressman says Grant is determined when summoned before the Investigating Committee to tell everything he knows, regardless of consequences. Having no chance for renomination he had rather sacrifice the party than himself. He claims he made appointments with honorable intentions but was deceived by friends. The President's veto message says the President's salary was $25,000 when we had only three millions of people. Now we have forty millions; wealth has largely increased and the cost of living is vastly out of proportion. He states from personal experience that the salary is inadequate to the expenses of the White House.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 19.—The first payment of silver coin was made to-day by Treasurer New to Representative Foster, of the Appropriation Committee. The regular payment to the public for fractional currency will begin on Thursday. It is expected there will be a heavy demand for coin for the first few days.

CALIFORNIA.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 19.—Arrived—Ship Dashing Wave, Tacoma.

Wheat—For fair average lots, $1.65 per cental, sacked.

Flour—Best brands, $5.00; good outside and country, $4.75; fine and superfine, $4@4.25.

Barley—Choice brewing, $1.36@1.40; feed, $1.25@1.30.

The racer Katie Pease was sold at auction to-day for $3,850, Judge Mee being the purchaser.

EUROPE.

LONDON, April 18.—The Stock Exchange here and Bourse in Paris have been firmer to-day than for the past fortnight.

Berlin and Vienna Bourses are unsettled and prices lower.

HULL, ENG., April 18.—The loss of the Victoria from Shields for San Francisco, is now proved beyond doubt. She had besides Captain Jones, whose body was found yesterday, 25 hands and a pilot, all of whom were undoubtedly lost.

ST. PETERSBURG, April 19.—Wedimoski says in consequence of Servia's continued warlike preparations the Porte has resolved to send an ultimatum to the Servian Government and then cross the Servian frontier.

LONDON, April 19.—It is reported that Count Andrassy in conversation with his colleagues expressed his conviction that for a year at least the peace of Europe would not be endangered.

PHILIP JAMES, M. D., Diplomatized Eclectic Physician and Accoucheur of 45 years' experience, offers his services to the inhabitants of Victoria. Extracts Polypus and Cancer without the use of the knife. Rheumatic pains cured in one hour. He is now using the *Electric Magnetic Machine* with good effect in many diseases of Rheumatic, Palsy or Paralysis and Fits.

Pandora street, above the Synagogue. *

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THE SAMPLE ROOMS.—Mr. H. D. Saunders, late of "The Hall," begs to inform his patrons that he has bought out these premises recently occupied by Mr. J. McGrath, and that he will there continue to supply the best of wines, liquors and cigars. * *

OLD CHICORY is almost a thing of the past. Finlayson's Coffee presides over the present. It has now superseded what used to be claimed as "superior to any other manufactured on this coast," and will soon be found on every well-furnished table in the Province. Prepared at his premises on Fort street, and sold by all the principal dealers. *

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YARMOUTH BLOATERS,
BLACKWALL WHITEBAIT,
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Fresh supplies of the above and numerous other table delicacies may always be had of every storekeeper.

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This INVALUABLE REMEDY produces quiet, or freshing sleep, relieves pain, calms the nervous system restores the deranged functions and stimulates healthy action of the secretions of the body without creating any o ithose unpleasant results attending the use of opium. Old and young may take it at all hours and times when requisite. Thousands of persons testify to its marvelous good effects and wonderful cures while medical men extol its virtues most extensively using it in great quantities in the following diseases:—

Diseases in which it is found eminently useful—Cholera, Dysentery, Diarrhœa, Colics, Coughs, Asthma Crump Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Cough, Hysteria, be

The Right Hon Earl Russell communicated to the College of Physicians and J T Davenport that he had received information to the effect that the only remedy of any service in Cholera was Chlorodyne.—See Lancet Dec 31, 1864.

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WOOL, SHEEPSKINS,
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de29 L. & J. BOSCOWITZ, Wharf st,

New Advertisements.

General Abstract,

SHOWING the average amount of the Liabilities and Assets, within the Province of British Columbia, of the Bank of British North America, taken from the usual Weekly Statements during the Quarter ending 31st March, 1876:

Liabilities.		Assets.	
Notes in circulation not bearing interest	$124,536 00	Legal Tender Coin in Gold and Silver	$114,083 00
Balances due to other Banks and Branches	33,653 63	Gold Bullion	23,691 00
Deposits **on call** not bearing int	151,302 79	Notes and Cheques of other Banks	5,019 04
Deposits **not on call** bearing interest	558,573 59	Landed and other Property	18,000 00
		Balances due from other Banks & Branches	585,118 02
		Am't of all other Debts due to the Bank	133,700 27
Total amount of Liabilities	$868,066 01	Total amount of Assets	$879,611 93

Amount of Capital Stock paid up at the close of the Quarter ending 31st March, 1876 ..... $5,000,000
Rate of the last Dividend declared to the Shareholders ..... 10 per cent per annum
Amount of the last Dividend declared for half year $250,000
Amount of the Reserved Profits at the time of declaring said Dividend $1,251,244

[Signed] J. GOODFELLOW, Manager.
VICTORIA, 7th April, 1876. ANDREW B. RITCHIE, Act'g Accountant.

I, JOHN GOODFELLOW, do hereby declare, that to the best of my knowledge and belief the foregoing Abstract is a true and faithful account of the average amount of Liabilities and Assets within this Province of the above Bank during the period specified, and that the same was made up from the Weekly Statements thereof, kept in pursuance of the provisions of the "Banking Act, 1864."

[Signed] J. GOODFELLOW.
Declared before me at Victoria, this 7th day of April, 1876.
mh8 [Signed] A. J. LANGLEY, J. P.

General Abstract

SHOWING the average amount of Liabilities and Assets of the Bank of British Columbia, within the Province of British Columbia and its Dependencies, taken from the several weekly statements, for the Quarter ending 31st March, 1876.

Liabilities.		Assets.	
Notes in Circulation	$219,805 00	Legal tender coin in Gold and Silver	$180,037 00
Balances due to other Banks and Branches	22,459 43	Gold and Silver Bullion	25,332 81
Deposits not bearing interest	$819,792 42	Landed and other Property	30,801 07
Deposits bearing interest	97,222 05 1,025,689 58	Balances due from other Banks and Branches	384,630 93
		All debts due to the Bank, including Notes, Bills of Exchange, and all Stock and Funded Debts of every description, excepting Notes, Bills and Balances due from other Banks and Branches	865,587 73
Total amount of Liabilities	$1,159,279 10	Total amount of Assets	$1,486,389 68

Amount of Capital Stock paid up at close of Quarter ending 31st March, 1876 ..... $1,730,000 00
Rate of last Dividend declared to the Shareholders ..... 8 per cent. per annum
Amount of last Dividend declared ..... $ 59,600 00
Amount of Reserved profit after declaring such Dividend ..... $ 144,210 00

(Signed) WM. C. WARD, Manager.
VICTORIA, B.C., 31st March, 1876. CHAS. S. JONES, Accountant.

I, WILLIAM CURTIS WARD, do hereby declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief the foregoing statement is a true and faithful account of the average amount of the Liabilities and Assets within this Province of this Bank during the period specified, and that the same was made up from the Weekly Statements thereof, kept in pursuance of the provisions of the "Banking Act, 1864."

(Signed) WM. C. WARD.
Declared before me at Victoria, B. C., this 11th day of April, 1876.
ap13 (Signed) A. McLEAN, J. P.

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Yates St., near Blanchard,
MRS. GEROW - - - - Proprietor.

FIRST-CLASS BOARDING HOUSE.
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Government Street,
BETWEEN YATES AND JOHNSON, VICTORIA, B. C.
Built of Brick, Newly Furnished, has First-Class Accommodations
AT LOWEST RATES.
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Victoria, B. C.
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THE MOST COMMODIOUS AND CLEAN Hotel in Victoria. It is conducted on the European principle. The table is supplied with the very best the market affords.
MEALS at all hours of the day. Private Dining Rooms for Families.
CHARGES—Board and Lodging per Week, $5 50 to $ 50; Board and Lodging per Day $1. Single Meals, 37½ cents; Beds, 50 cents.
TERMS—Cash in advance.
☞ Fire-proof Safe in the House.
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TRANSFERRED TO THE
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VIEW ST., VICTORIA.
First-Class Hotel and Restaurant.
SPECIAL ACCOMMODATION FOR FAMILIES.
Private Dining Rooms and Parlors.
BILLIARDS.

Nothing will be spared to render the guests as comfortable as any house on the Pacific Coast.
None but the very best (directly imported) Wines, Liquors and Cigars will be dispensed.
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ST. NICHOLAS HOTEL,
GOVERNMENT STREET,
TREHART & HEMENOVER, - - - PROPRIETORS.

TWO NEW BILLIARD TABLES
FITTED WITH
Phelan's Patent Fast Wire Cushions
Billiard players should give them a trial. The Fastest Tables in the City.
The Best of WINES, LIQUORS and CIGARS at the Bar. de17

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THE UNDERSIGNED WILL CONTINUE to conduct the above establishment as a first class Restaurant, will spare no exertions to make it worthy the patronage of the public.
Charges Moderate—Private Dining Rooms for Ladies and Families.
Best of Wines, Liquors and Cigars at the Bar.
I. RAGAZZONI & SON, Proprietors.
Victoria, B. C., March 10th, 1876. mh11

ANGEL HOTEL,
LANGLEY STREET,
CHARLES MORTON, - - - PROPRIETOR.
Rate of Charges:

Board and Lodging per Week	$ 6 00
do do per Day	1 00
Board per Week	5 00
Single Meals	37½
Beds	50

☞ A Fireproof Safe in the House. feldw

THE STAR SALOON
And Restaurant,
Government Street, opp. Railway Office,
Will be opened to the Public
THIS SATURDAY EVENING.
ap8 HARRY WARNER, Prop.

TAI YUEN & CO.,
Merchants and General Dealers in
Groceries, Clothing,
And a General Assortment of
CHINESE GOODS,
Having begun business in the brick store at the junction of Government, Pandora and Comorant Sts. beg to offer their goods for sale at Reasonable Rates.
☞ Purchasers from the Upper Country are invited to give us a call.
Victoria, June 1, 1875. jel

Miscellaneous.

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CROCKERY,
GLASSWARE
Cutlery, Carpets
And all kinds of
HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS,
—AT—
Mansell & Holroyd's,
Corner of Yates and Douglas Street.
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CELEBRATED
WORCESTERSHIRE SAUCE,
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The success of this delicious and unrivalled Condiment having caused certain dealers to apply the name of "Worcestershire Sauce" to their own inferior compounds, the Public is hereby informed that the only way to secure the genuine is to
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Wholesale and for Export by the Proprietors, Worcester; Crosse and Blackwell, London, &c., &c.; and by Grocers and Oilmen universally.
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FASHIONABLE
BOOT & SHOE MAKER
All Orders executed with promptness and at
Moderate Rates.
☞ REPAIRING NEATLY DONE.
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William Waldon, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE creditors and others interested in the estate of William Waldon, deceased intestate, late of the township of South Dumfries, in the County of Brant, in the Province of Ontario, labourer, formerly residing in or near Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia, who was lost in the steamship Pacific and who died on or about the 4th day of November last, are hereby directed and required to send, on or before the 28th day of June next by post prepaid, to Henry Hart, of the town of Paris in the said County of Brant, the solicitor of Catharine Waldon, of South Dumfries aforesaid, widow, the administratrix of the deceased, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them. And notice is hereby further given that after the said 28th day of June the said Catharine Waldon, the administratrix, will proceed to distribute the assets of the said intestate under the provisions of the statute of Canada of the 29th Victoria cap. 28 intituled "An Act to Amend the Law of Property and Trusts in Upper Canada."

Dated this 28th day of March, A.D. 1876.
HENRY HART, Paris, Ontario, Canada,
ap14dw Solicitor for the said Administratrix.

Ex "FAVORITE," from Honolulu.
WELCH, RITHET & CO.
WHARF STREET.
HAVE RECEIVED AND OFFER FOR Sale
SANDWICH ISLANDS SUGAR,
MOLASSES,
PULU and
COFFEE.
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Postal.

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Winter Arrangements from 1st October, 1875 to 31st March, 1876.

MAILS.	ARRIVE.	CLOSE.
Canada, Great Britain Europe, and U. S., via San Francisco	About the 13th, and 28th of of each Month	On the 3rd, and 18th of each month, at 11 A.M.
Do. via Tacoma	Monday and Thursday 3 P.M	Tuesday at 9.30 A.M. and Thursday at 7 P.M.
Australia, New Zealand, Sandwich Islands and Fiji Island.	Irregular dates of arrival	In time to connect with mail steamer leaving San Francisco every 4th Saturday from Oct. 10.
China and Japan	Irregular dates of arrival	In time to connect with mail steamer leaving San Francisco on 1st of each month.
Mexico, Central America, and South Pacific coast.	Irregular dates of arrival	In time to connect with mail steamer leaving San Francisco 3 times a month. (irregular dates)
New Westminster & Burrard Inlet.	Wednesday and Saturday at 3 P.M.	Monday and Thursday at 7 P.M.
Barkerville, Yale and Intermediate offices.	Wednesday 3 P.M.	Monday at 7 P.M.
Nanaimo and intermediate offices.	Thursday at 5 P.M.	Monday at 7 P.M.
Comox and intermediate offices.	Every alternate Friday at 5 P.M.	Every alternate Monday at 7 P.M.
Esquimalt	Daily at 10:30 A.M. and 2:30 P.M.	Daily, at 11 A.M. and 4 P.M.
Metchosin	Monday, 1 P.M.	Tuesday, 12 Noon.
Saanich	Thursday, 10 A.M.	Wednesday, 9 A.M.
Sooke	Monday, 3 P.M.	Tuesday, 9 A.M.

Letters for Registration must be posted half an hour before closing of each mail.

MONEY ORDERS

Payable at Money Order Offices throughout the Dominion, Great Britain and Ireland, Newfoundland, and the United States, and at the offices at Barkerville, Clinton, Nanaimo, New Westminster and Yale, in this Province, can be obtained at this office.

OFFICE HOURS—From 8 A.M. to 7 P.M.
FOR MONEY ORDERS—From 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.; on Saturdays from 9 A.M. to 12 noon.

R. WALLACE, Post Office Inspector.
POST OFFICE, VICTORIA, 1st Nov., 1875. no4

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BOOT & SHOE MANUFACTORY,
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TANNERY - - - - Rock Bay, Victoria.
W. HEATHORN, PROPRIETOR.

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Having unequalled facilities for the production of Boots and Shoes at a LOW COST, a very considerable REDUCTION has been made on former Rates.
A FULL STOCK now on hand guaranteed for Variety, Excellence and Cheapness to defy competition.
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Has received from London direct, a Large Assortment of
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Central Fire Breech-Loaders,
FISHING TACKLE IN GREAT VARIETY,
Pocket and Sporting Cutlery, Powder Flasks, Shot Pouches, Game Bags, Cartridge Belts, Apparatus for Filling Cartridges for Breech-loaders and a full assortment of Gun Tackle.
GUNS MADE TO ORDER. REPAIRING NEATLY EXECUTED.
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BUTCHERS
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"Harpenden, 7th March, 1871.
To Mr. THOMAS KEATING,
"SIR,—My two little girls, aged respectively three and two years, showed symptoms of having worms, so I obtained some of your Worm Bon Bons from Mr. Bushby, and they effected such a thorough cure—in fact, I think, saved their lives. The elder little girl had sixteen worms come from her. I think it my duty to acquaint you with the fact.
"FRED'K. WILLMOTT."
SOLD IN TINS, BY ALL CHEMISTS AND DRUGGISTS.
THOMAS KEATING, London,
EXPORT CHEMIST & DRUGGIST,
Indents for pure Drugs and Chemicals carefully executed. ap5w

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GOOD CLAY LAND FOR LEASE
THE VANCOUVER COAL COMPANY have several acres of fine clay land at Nanaimo, which can be leased on very reasonable terms.
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HENRY SAUNDERS,
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☞ Liberal advances made on Consignments.
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Subscribed and Invested Capital—One Million Six Hundred Thousand Pounds.
Risks Accepted at Current Rates of Premium.
WELCH, RITHET & Co.,
Agents for British Columbia
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THE UNION INSURANCE COMP'Y
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MARINE.
Capital Stock - - - - $750,000.
For Insuring Merchandise, Treasure, Commissions, Profits, &c. For Information, Rates of Premium, &c., &c., apply to
STAHLSCHMIDT & Co.
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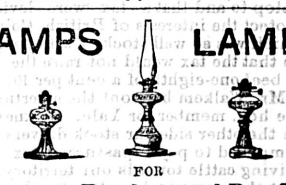
CO-PARTNERSHIP NOTICE.

JULIUS F. E. ENGELHARDT and HENRY L. TIBBALS, of this City, have entered into Partnership under the firm name of Engelhardt & Tibbals.
JULIUS F. E. ENGELHALDT
HENRY L. TIBBALS.
VICTORIA, 10th April, 1876.

ENGELHARDT & TIBBALS,
COAL, WOOD
—AND—
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—AND—
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AGENTS OF
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Constantly on hand, every description of
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Best Dry Firewood.
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BEST JAVA COFFEE FRESH ROASTED and ground daily.
Goods delivered to any part of the city. je10

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WRIGHT AND BUTLER,
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Table, Street, and Station Lamps and Lanterns of all descriptions, Chandeliers, Brackets, &c., in great variety.
Lamps fitted with American or any other description of burner.
Patentees of the celebrated
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EXTRACT FROM A LETTER
dated 15th May, 1872, from an old inhabitan of Horningsham, near Warminster, Wilts:—
"I must also beg to say that your Pills are an excellent medicine for me, and I certainly do enjoy good health, sound sleep and a good appetite; this is owing to taking your Pills. I am 78 years old.
"Remaining, Gentlemen, yours very respectfully, L. S."
To the Proprietors of
NORTON'S CAMOMILE PILLS, London
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Testimonial to Dr. James.
VICTORIA, February 26th, 1876.
To Dr. James, Pandora street.
DEAR SIR:—I beg to state that I have been a very great sufferer from Rheumatic Pains for the last three or four years, so much so that I have lost much time and thousands of dollars (being an old miner) by not being able to work, and I am now happy to say, by being under your treatment for a short time, my pains have all gone. I consider it an excellent cure, for which I beg your acceptance of one hundred dollars. JOHN DAVIES,
Rae street.
Dr. James does not attend to smallpox patients.
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Ld. Lowenberg,
Real Estate Agent
Government St., near Corner of Broughton.
WILL PAY PARTICULAR ATTENTION to selling, purchasing and leasing property; in negotiating loans and transacting everything connected with Real Estate business.
Maps of all the different Districts on the Island may be seen at his office. Parties desirous of purchasing homesteads, or making investments, will find on hi Bulletin Board Town Lots on nearly every street Farming or Gardening Land in every District, some, of which affords rare chance for investment.
Money on bond and mortgage to loan in sums to suit the demands.
Conveyances of every description done at reasonable rates. de1

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